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SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING

SENATOR CUDABACK: Good morning. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. Our chaplain of the day this morning is Pastor Seth Leypoldt, Bradshaw-Aurora United Methodist Church, Aurora, Nebraska, and that's Senator Stuhr's district. Pastor.

PASTOR LEYPOLDT: (Prayer offered.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: We thank you, Pastor Leypoldt, for being with us. We appreciate you being here this morning. I call the seventy-ninth day of the Ninety-Eighth Legislature, First Session, to order. Senators, please check in.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Mr. Clerk, are there any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Any reports, messages, or announcements?

CLERK: Just one item, Mr. President, a communication from the Governor regarding an appointment to the Power Review Board. That will be referred to the Reference Committee. That's the only item that I have. (Legislative Journal pages 1771-1772.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. As the agenda states, we will now go to Select File, budget and budget-related bills. Mr. Clerk, where were we when we...

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 407 on Select File. Enrollment and Review amendments have been considered and adopted, as have several other amendments. The first amendment I have this morning is by Senator Wehrbein. Senator, I have a note, you have AM1874 pending, but I have a note that you would like to offer as a substitute AM1881.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Yes, I would, Mr. Clerk, and I would also